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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Zuker et al. Art Unit: 1653  
Application No.: 09/462,517 Examiner: K.C. Carlson  
Filed: May 18, 2000  
Title: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING MODULATORS  
OF TRANSDUCISOMES, A NEW CLASS OF THERAPEUTIC TARGETS

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a Response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 2003.

The requested extension is for One Month, extending the period for response from September 18, 2003 to October 18, 2003.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on October 20, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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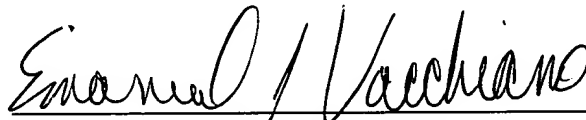
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Enclosed is Check No. 546675 in the amount of \$110.00 for the One Month extension of time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of the Transmittal Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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